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MEDICINAL.



When a little one is expected in the family how lovingly the parents plan together for its future welfare. They sometimes even forecast its education and career. Does this seem too early to anticipate while the child is yet unborn? It isn't. The child's destiny has already been partly mapped out by Nature according to the disposition and habits of the parents. The best plan a mother can make for the future happiness of her unborn child is to maintain her own cheerfulness and health while her child's undeveloped being is still a part of her. Her health at this critical period is of tremendous consequence to the little one's whole future existence. Every prospective mother will find direct nourishment, comfort and sustaining strength, in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It will maintain her vitality both bodily and mental; shorten the period of confinement and make labor easy and almost painless. It imparts strength and elasticity to the organs concerned in parturition, invests the mother with recuperative energy against any after period of weakness and depression, and aids in the secretion of healthy nourishment for the child. It is the infallible cure of all "female weaknesses."

Dear Doctor: Your "Favorite Prescription" is the best medicine to take before confinement that can be found. It proved healthful as I did with my last, and she is the healthiest we have. When I began your treatment I could not stand on my feet long enough to wash my dishes without suffering almost death; now I do all my housework, washing, cooking, sewing, and everything for my family.

Dora A. Guthrie
Oakley, Overton Co., Tenn.

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The intense itching and smarting incident to eczema, tinea, salt-rheum, and other diseases of the skin is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites, and chronic sore eyes. For sale by druggists at 25 cents per box.

Try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. For sale by L. Stahler & Co., Druggists.

WANTS.

WANTED.—For U. S. Army, able bodied unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 30 years, citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For application apply, preferably by letter, to Recruiting Officer, Washington Barracks, D. C., or Fort Meyer, Va. jyls 10c31

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WANTED.—AN AGENT in every section to canvass \$4 to \$5 a day made, sells at sight as a MAN, to sell staple goods to dealers, best line \$75 a month. Salary or large commission made, experience unnecessary. CLIFFORD SOAP & MANUFACTURERS CO., Cincinnati, O. oct26 lawly

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JUST RECEIVED a complete line of Professor J. J. George's SCIENTIFIC PREPARATIONS FOR THE FEET, including his Patent Cushions for high and low shoes, Corn and Bunion Shields, etc. For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS'. Ask for a Pamphlet on Pedology.

LIGHTNING HOT DROPS cures Cholera Morbus, Heals Flesh Wounds and Bruises, cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia and all kinds of Pain, cures Croup, Diarrhoea and Summer Complaint, cures Sore Throat and Quinsy. WAREFIELD & HALL.

FULL LINE OF DOMESTIC DAY GOODS, Notions and Seasonable Underwear, the best qualities at lowest prices, call and examine stock. A. C. SLAYMAKER.

12 MATS Extra Fine Old Government JAVA COFFEE, just received and for sale at 35c, freshly roasted, by J. C. MILBURN.

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A MYSTERIOUS CASE.

At one o'clock Friday morning the home of Henry Webster, a wealthy farmer living six miles north of Hicksville, O., was entered by an unknown person. Mrs. Webster was first apprised of his presence by the outlines of a man standing over her bed, with a revolver in his hand. The house being dark, she called to her husband, who immediately awakened, to feel the cold muzzle of a revolver against his temple. Mr. Webster jerked his head to one side just as the gun was fired, thus escaping instant death. Mrs. Webster started to get out of bed, when a second shot was fired, the bullet piercing her body.

Having no weapons to defend himself with upstairs, Mr. Webster jumped from his bed, gave the miscreant a powerful thrust against the wall, and started for the ground floor, in search of something with which to fight. He was pursued by his assailant, whereupon a scuffle ensued, tables and chairs being overturned, and in which the would-be murderer dropped his revolver. Mr. Webster says he had the best end of the tussle, when he dealt a powerful blow upon the head from a slingshot, which felled him to the floor, dazed. The criminal made good his escape through the front door and down across a plowed field into the woods, where all traces were lost.

Sixteen years ago Mr. Webster had trouble with a wayward son, who left home, and was not heard from until a few years ago, when he (Mr. Webster) was called to Chicago where his son had met with an accident, in which he lost his right leg. Several weeks ago the son, whose name is Dewitt, came home on a visit. Last Tuesday Mr. Webster brought him to Hicksville to take the train for Chicago, at which city he claimed to have employment. It is said by a grocer at Patton's, a station four miles west of that city, that young Webster left the train at that place, and had been seen lurking in that vicinity. It seems as though Mr. Webster had threatened to disinherit his son in the bequest of his property, and it is believed by many that the matter was brought up while the son was there on a visit, and that trouble arose, and that the crime was committed with a view of putting Mr. and Mrs. Webster out of the way before they had made this will, which, it seems, up until this time, had not been done. Suspicion rested upon the son as the perpetrator of the deed. The revolver which was dropped in the encounter has been identified positively as being the same one carried by the son during his recent visit at home. It is a 32-caliber Smith & Wesson revolver. The shells remaining in the chambers being too long, the ends of the bullets being bent, and all of which answers the description of the one carried by him, and the one shown to and handled by his several brothers during his recent visit.

The murderer was thoroughly acquainted with the interior of the house, and his stature and limping walk were identical with that of young Webster. The house being dark, he was not seen in the face, but the tracks made by him show a deformity in the right foot, and young Webster wears an artificial limb on his right side. The county has been scoured for several miles around by posses of indignant citizens, and, if captured, the civil law governing crimes will not, in all probability, be taken into consideration.

A pack of bloodhounds was brought from Latty, O., and placed upon the track of the desperado. It is believed that the criminal is in hiding somewhere near by, yet it is possible he has made good his escape on a passing freight train. Authorities have been notified in all directions, and he will be captured, no doubt. Mrs. Webster cannot live, and will probably die. She was conscious for a short time only. Her only remark was: "My God, Henry, I am shot through. If I die, I know I was that killed me."

The Websters are highly respectable citizens and among the wealthiest farmers in Defiance county. Dewitt Webster, who is twenty nine years old, has been considered a black sheep, having borne a hard character for years. When he came home he beat his way on a freight train, and was rather seely in appearance. There is rather ground to believe that trouble arose during the recent visit over the matter of the will and the refusal of the father to furnish his son with money.

For Over Fifty Years

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY.—Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Beware and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind. jan17 ceds1y

NEW CANNED LOBSTER, Mild Cheese and Small Hams just received by J. C. MILBURN.

ARMOUR'S SOAP and SOAP POWDER for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

GOES CRAZY EVERY FOUR YEARS.—

Farmer John Convery, of Walden, N. Y., became violently insane recently, and has been sent to an asylum. A peculiarity of his case is that he becomes insane every four years. This is his third time. His loss of reason the first time was eight years ago, and the second in 1892. Judge Dickey, at a special term of the Supreme Court, appointed Irving H. Loughran, of Walden, as commissioner to take evidence before a jury in that place as to the sanity of Convery. The Court will appoint a committee to look after Convery's property.

DEATH INSTEAD OF MARRIAGE.—

Mrs. Eliza Ralston, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who owned property there and in Buffalo valued at \$150,000, died Sunday at Oil City from injuries received in falling from the Allegheny Valley express en route to Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Ralston was on her way to meet her affianced, a man named Mason, of Buffalo, to whom she was to be married at once, and the couple were to take a wedding trip through the lake region.

GREAT KITE FLYING.—

From the Blue Hill observatory, Boston, maintained by A. Lawrence Rotch, a kite was sent up on Saturday which reached the greatest altitude yet attained anywhere in this form of meteorological experiment. The kite was sent 7,333 feet into the air. This is 1,000 feet higher than the top of Mount Washington, and 800 feet higher than any kite yet has been sent. Last year very great difficulty was experienced in holding the kites when a strong wind was blowing. In place of the old box, with its reel, a winch, constructed upon the plan of those used with derricks, is now used, which makes it possible for two men to handle three kites, even in a breeze of from twenty to thirty miles an hour. This winch is mounted upon a truck, so that its position may be changed according to the shifting of the kites, and the wire be paid out and taken in in a straight line.

The Discoverer Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Caillouette, Druggist, Beaversville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial at E. L. Allen's Drug Store.

Last summer one of our grandchildren was sick with a severe bowel trouble. Our doctor's remedies had failed, then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief. We regard it as the best medicine ever put on the market for bowel complaints.—Miss E. G. Gregory, Fredericktown, Mo. This certainly is the best medicine ever put on the market for dysentery, summer complaint, colic and cholera infantum in children. It never fails to give prompt relief when used in reasonable time and the plain printed directions are followed. Many mothers have expressed their sincere gratitude for the cure it has effected. For sale by L. Stahler & Co., Druggists.

"Mamma, was that a sugar-plum you just gave me?" asked little Mabel. "No, dear, it was one of Dr. Ayer's Pills." "Please, may I have another?" "Not now, dear; one of those nice pills is all you need at present, because every dose is effective."

Bush Meeting at Purcellville.

Tickets for the above occasion will be on sale August 3rd to 10th, final limit August 10th, at \$1.40 for the round trip. Special trains will leave Alexandria, Va., 6th and 9th, at 7:30 a. m. Returning, leave Purcellville at 6:05 p. m. arriving at Alexandria at 8:15 p. m.

J. S. DOUGLAS, Agent.

S3--Washington to Atlantic City and Return--S3.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will operate on Saturdays, August 1st, 8th, 15th and 22nd, special train excursions through, to and from Atlantic City, without change of cars, via Delaware bridge route, avoiding overland passage through Philadelphia. Trains will leave Washington at 11:00 p. m., arriving in Atlantic City Sunday morning in time for breakfast. Returning, leave Atlantic City 6:00 p. m. same day. Rate, \$3 for the round trip.

To Niagara Falls and Return.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company will operate, August 6 and 20, and September 5 and 17, a series of personally conducted tours from Washington to Niagara Falls and return, at the rate of \$10 for the round trip. Tickets will be valid for return passage within ten days and will allow stop-over privileges at Watkins and Rochester in both directions and at Buffalo returning. Special trains will leave 6th Street Station, Washington, at 7:30 a. m. on dates named.

Delightful Summer Tours.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged a delightful tour to the North, under the personally conducted tourist system, and August 15. The places to be visited are Watkins Glen, Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, Quebec, Montreal, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga, or the Highlands of the Hudson. Each tour will be in charge of a tourist agent, assisted by an experienced clerk at each station, whose special charge will be unaccompanied ladies. The rate of \$100 from Washington covers railway and boat fare for the entire round trip, parlor car seats, meals en route, hotel entertainment, transfers, baggage, carriage hire, and every item of necessary expense. Tickets purchased and not used will be redeemed at the General Office, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, not later than two days before the respective dates of departure.

Excursion Rates on the Southern Railway.

Commencing Saturday, May 30th, 1896, and continuing each Saturday and Sunday thereafter, until and including September 27th, round trip tickets will be sold from Alexandria to Orange, Strasburg and Round Bay and intermediate stations at the rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets limited to the following Monday.

PURE APPLE VINEGAR, old and fine, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

BEST SEA ISLAND PERCALES, one yard wide, light colors, reduced to 10c. AT A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

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EDUCATIONAL.

OFFICE OF CITY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., August 3, 1896. In obedience to the instructions of the STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, the annual examination for teachers will be held in Peabody school building, corner of King and Alfred streets, as follows: For White Teachers, August 11th and 12th. For Colored Teachers, August 13th and 14th.

The examination will begin on each day at 9 o'clock. All persons proposing to stand this examination will present themselves promptly on the days and at the hour named, supplied with pens, ink and paper of uniform size—legal cap preferred. K. KEMPER, City Superintendent of Schools.

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CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

LETTERS, SCIENCE, ENGINEERING, LAW, MEDICINE. Session begins 15th September.

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OFFICIAL.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD.

The frequent fires in this city and the suspicious circumstances attending them renders it extremely probable that they are the work of incendiaries. I therefore offer a REWARD OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS that will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the guilty parties. jyl3 1w L. H. THOMPSON, Mayor.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 31st day of July, 1896. William W. McNeil vs. Mary Baker, Samuel Baker, her husband, David Willis and Eloise Willis, his wife, William McNeil Baker, S. Preston Baker, Mary McNeil Baker, Virginia Gardner and Charles Gardner, her husband, Henry McNeil, Minnie Bateman, Andrew McNeil, Amelia S. Gregory, Frank Gregory, her husband, Edward N. McNeil, Annie McNeil, Augustus Van Dervoer, trustee, Esther R. Morrison, Fannie A. Clark, Lewis Monroe and Mary E. Reese, his wife, Charles T. Clark, Kate Clark, his wife, George T. Klipstein, Harry G. Harriman, Mary T. Harriman, his wife, Rebecca T. Klipstein, and William H. Marbury, executor. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a partition of it can be conveniently made of the property in and near the city of Alexandria, lying on the north side of King street, commonly called and known as Peyton's Grove, between the devisees of James B. McNeil, deceased, and the devisees of Charles M. Taylor, deceased, or a sale of the said property and a distribution of the proceeds if it be found that partition can not be conveniently made. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Samuel Baker, David Willis, Eloise Willis, his wife, William McNeil Baker, S. Preston Baker, Mary McNeil Baker, Virginia Gardner and Charles Gardner, her husband, Henry McNeil, Minnie Bateman, Andrew McNeil, Amelia S. Gregory, Frank Gregory, her husband, Edward N. McNeil, Annie McNeil, Augustus Van Dervoer, trustee, Esther R. Morrison, Fannie A. Clark, Lewis Monroe and Mary E. Reese, his wife, Charles T. Clark, Kate Clark, his wife, George T. Klipstein, Harry G. Harriman, Mary T. Harriman, his wife, Rebecca T. Klipstein, and William H. Marbury, executor, are non-residents of this State. It is ordered that the said defendants appear here within fifteen days after the due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, Va., once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city. A copy—JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk, George A. Muehlbach, J. P. G. John M. Johnson, ang1 w4w

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If not sold within 30 days this store will be for rent. Lot No. 2.—Southwest corner Columbus and Madison streets, improved by TWO FRAME HOUSES, 24x100 feet, very eligible locality. Lot No. 3.—East side of Alfred, between Wythe and Madison streets, 66x113 feet to a 20 foot court. Apply to M. B. HARLOW & CO., Or owners, 214 S. Royal street. jyl2 1m

FOR RENT—DWELLING No. 224 north Columbus street. All modern improvements. Possession given August 1st. Apply at No. 428 north Washington street. jyl2 1m

FOR RENT.

THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 907 Queen street. Modern improvements. Apply to WM. P. WOOLLS & SON, Royal and Wolfe streets.

FOR SALE—THIRTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND adjoining Braddock Heights, 7 acres with choice fruit trees and a fine stream of water; 7 1/2 acres with a good house of 10 rooms, and outbuildings; plenty of shade and fruit trees; good well of water near the house, and a good stream of water for stock; 10 acres with plenty of apple and peach trees and a fine stream of water; 8 1/2 acres with apple orchard. This land is beautifully located on a good road about one and a half miles from Alexandria and about one-quarter of a mile from a station on the electric road and six miles from Washington. Apply to D. N. RUST, 122 south Washington S. street.

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For sale, on easy terms, the fine DWELLING HOUSE and spacious grounds situated at the southwest corner of Pitt and Prince streets, in the city of Alexandria, the late residence of Robert A. Cline, deceased. This is one of the finest properties in the city of Alexandria, is in an excellent state of repair, and in every way, by reason of its location and otherwise, desirable as a residence. For information as to price and terms of sale, apply at 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia. JAMES R. CATTON, my8 1f Attorney for Owners.

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LAWN MOWERS, latest styles; 12 1/2 hp quality reduced to 10c; 10c quality reduced to 8c; 8c quality reduced to 4c; at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

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Coats, Mackintoshes, etc., at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

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